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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE TERRITORY OF GUAM

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) MAGISTRATE CASE NO. 06-00007  
14 Plaintiff, )  
15 vs. ) STIPULATION OF PARTIES  
16 STEPHANIE CONTRERAS, ) TO CONTINUE TRIAL  
17 Defendant. )  
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20 COME NOW the United States of America and defendant, by and through his counsel, Richard  
21 Arens, and jointly move that the trial date in this matter, which is presently set for November 7, 2006, be  
22 continued to not less than thirty (30) days, at a date and time convenient to the court. The parties make  
23 this request for the reason that ongoing possible plea negotiations are currently in progress and that the  
24 parties believe it is in the interest of justice that this matter be continued.

25 The parties believe that this continuance may be justified under the Speedy Trial Act on the  
26 grounds of 18 U.S.C. § 3162(8)(A) allow tolling of the time if the court finds "that the ends of justice  
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1 served by taking such action outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial".

2 The parties believe that the best interests of both will be served by this continuance.

3 SO STIPULATED.

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5 10/31/06  
6 DATE

  
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8 Attorney for Defendant

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